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WEATHER FORECASTS FOR POLAND, 23 MARCH - 6 APRIL 1952

I. FORECASTS FROM KRAKOW NEWSPAPER

The following forecasts for southern Poland were compiled by the State Hydrological and Meteorological Institute in Krakow and are taken from the Krakow newspaper Dziennik Polski. All temperatures are in degrees centigrade.

30 March

Cloudy with snow changing gradually to rain or drizzle. Highest temperature during the day about 3 degrees. Light frost during the night. Lowest temperature -3 degrees. Light southerly winds.

1 April

Generally considerable variable cloudiness. Haze during the night and morning. Temperature range in the uplands during the day from zero to 6 degrees; during the night, light frost. Temperature range high in the mountains from about zero to -5 degrees. Prevailing variable light southerly winds.

2 April

Generally considerable cloudiness with local rain or sleet. Temperature range during the day from zero to 5 degrees; during the night local light frost, temperature about -3 degrees. Moderate southwesterly and westerly winds.

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3 April

Variable cloudiness with some local light rain. Temperature range in the uplands during the day from zero to 6 degrees; during the night light frost. Temperature range high in the mountains from about -7 degrees during the day to -15 degrees. Prevailing light northwesterly and northerly winds.

4 April

Haze in the river valleys in the morning. Generally quite fair, increasing cloudiness locally with occasional rain in the mountains. Highest temperature in the uplands and in the valleys during the day 8 degrees; during the night about zero with local light frost. Highest temperature in the mountains during the day around zero; during the night -10 degrees. Light westerly winds.

Report on Skiing Conditions: Snow depth in centimeters -- Szklarska Poreba, 45; Karpacz, 58; Sniezka, 256; Bielsko, 9; Wisla, 35; Barania Gora, 212; Klimczok, 202; Skrzyczne, 253; Kubalonka, 100; Rajcza, 25; Zwardon, 70; Wielka Raczka, 240; Pilsko, 200; Makow, 10; Babia Gora, 225; Magorka, 132; Wadowice, 5; Leskowice, 155; Myslenice, 11; Lubon Wielki, 115; Nowy Targ, 49; Gubalowka, 85; Bukowina, 79; Myslenickie Turnie, 85; Hala Ornak, 152; Dolina Chocholowska, 167; Zakopane, 49; Kalatowki, 42; Hala Kondratowa, 135; Dolina Pieciu Stawow, 255; Kasprowy Wierch, 261; Hala Gasienicowa, 158; Morskie Oko, 192; Obidowa, 86; Rabka, 30; Turbacz, 253; Czorsztyn, 32; Kroszcienko, 28; Szczawnica, 41; Przehyba, 238; Piwniczna, 35; Krynica, 48; Krakow, 12.

Skiing in the mountains continues to be good. A thin layer of fresh powder over frozen granular and loose granular covers. In spots strong snow drifts. Wet snow during the day in the lower mountain reaches, during the night hoarfrost. Danger of avalanches in the Tatry.

5 April

Haze in the morning hours. Generally fair. Highest temperature during the day about 8 degrees; during the night light frost, lowest temperature -4 degrees. Prevailing light variable southwesterly and westerly winds.

6 April

Some haze in the morning. Variable cloudiness, but generally quite fair. Highest temperature in the uplands during the day 10 degrees; during the night about zero. Temperature range high in the mountains from about -2 to -8 degrees. Light and moderate variable winds, strong in the mountains.

II. FORECASTS FROM WARSAW NEWSPAPER

The following forecasts are from the Warsaw newspaper Ilustrowany Kurier Polski.

23 March

Fair with increasing cloudiness in the northeast and in the east. Continued low temperatures, falling to -1 degree in some areas.

Temperature continued below zero in some areas during the night, becoming considerably warmer in the west.

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25 March

Generally considerable cloudiness with some light rain. Light frost during the night. Highest temperature during the day from about 2 degrees in the east to 8 degrees in the west. Light or moderate westerly winds.

27 March

Cloudy in the north, clearing gradually. Some occasional rain. Temperature fall during the night to about -18 degrees in the northeast. Temperature during the day about zero; in the northeast about -7 degrees.

30 March

Generally considerable cloudiness with snow or sleet particularly in the south. Temperature range during the night from -2 degrees in the northeast to -3 degrees in the west. Highest temperature during the day from -4 degrees in the east to 2 degrees in the coastal areas.

2 April

Generally considerable variable cloudiness with occasional precipitation, mostly snow. Temperature range during the day from 2 degrees to -2 degrees. Moderate or quite strong northwesterly and northerly winds.

3 April

Generally quite fair with possible rain only in the coastal areas and in the south. Lowest temperature during the day, zero in the east; highest temperature, 8 degrees in the west.

III. FORECASTS FROM POZNAN NEWSPAPER

The following forecasts are from the Poznan newspaper Glos Wielkopolski.

23 March

Cloudy with snow changing to rain in the west. Temperature range during the night from zero in the west to -13 degrees in the northeast. Gradual rise in temperature during the day. Moderate southeasterly and southerly winds, changing to sudden westerly gusts.

25 March

Generally considerable cloudiness with possible snow or sleet. During the night light frost locally. Highest temperature range during the day from 2 degrees in the east to 8 degrees in the west. Light or moderate southerly winds.

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26 March

Variable cloudiness. Temperature during the night, from 2 degrees in the west to -8 degrees in central Poland and -15 degrees in the northeast. Highest temperature during the day from 6 degrees in the southwest to zero in central Poland and -6 degrees in the northeast. Prevailing moderate northerly and northeasterly winds.

27 March

For southern Poland, cloudy with precipitation, mostly snow. Cloudy with occasional rain, gradually clearing in the north. Low temperatures during the night, from -5 degrees in the south to -15 degrees in the northeast. Highest temperature during the day about zero. Light or moderate easterly and northerly winds.

28 March

Variable cloudiness. Temperature range during the night from -5 to -10 degrees. Highest temperatures during the day several degrees above zero. Moderate northerly winds.

29 March

Considerable cloudiness with some snow in the southwest. Temperature range during the night from -2 to -18 degrees. Highest temperature during the day from zero to 4 degrees. Moderate easterly and southeasterly winds.

30 March

Generally considerable cloudiness with snow or sleet in the south. Temperature during the night from -9 degrees in the northeast to -3 degrees in the southwest. Highest temperature during the day from -5 degrees in the northeast to 2 degrees in the south. Moderate easterly winds.

1 April

Occasional cloudiness. Fair in the north and northeast with a temperature range of 15 to 30 degrees. Snow in the west with a sudden rise in temperature in the afternoon. Electrical storms and violent hailstorm in central Poland. Occasionally clearing throughout the country during the night, with some heavy rains.

2 April

Generally considerable cloudiness with some snow or rain. Temperature during the night several degrees above zero in the southeast; elsewhere, from zero to -5 degrees. Highest temperature during the day from -1 degree in the north to 5 degrees in the southeast. Moderate or quite strong northwesterly winds.

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3 April

Generally fair; considerable cloudiness in the coastal areas, possibly with occasional snow. Temperature drop during the night from zero in the west to -8 degrees in the east. Highest temperature during the day from zero in the east to 6 degrees in the west. Light or moderate westerly and northwesterly winds.

4 April

Generally quite fair with intermittently increasing cloudiness during the day. Highest temperature during the night from about zero in the west to -5 degrees in the east and in the uplands. Highest temperature during the day from 4 to 10 degrees. Moderate westerly winds.

5 April

Generally cloudy, mostly clear in some areas. During the night local light frost, particularly in the south. Highest temperature during the day from 5 degrees in the coastal areas to about 10 degrees in the west. Light or moderate westerly and southwesterly winds.

6 April

[Same as 5 April forecast.]

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